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SUBJECT: EXPANSION OF GENEVA CONFERENCE

1. CAIRO PRESS APRIL 4 CONTINUES HIGHLIGHT "IMPORTANCE" OF ENLARGING PARTICIPATION AT GENEVA CONFERENCE. AKHBAR EDITORIAL NOTES SADAT STRESSED TO CODEL O'NEILL THAT PARTICIPANTS SHOULD INCLUDE STATES BORDERING ON ISRAEL, WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, AND NON-ALIGNED STATES. AHAM LEAD EDITORIAL SAYS EXPANSION IS NECESSARY TO INSURE CONFERENCE IS NOT ARENA FOR POLARIZATION BUT RATHER ONE IN WHICH TO ATTAIN SETTLEMENT ACCEPTABLE TO ALL SECTORS OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY, SINCE ALL WORLD HAS INTEREST IN ERASING CAUSES OF TENSION IN MIDDLE EAST. AHAM ALSO POINTS OUT EGYPT HAS ENDEAVORED TO REMOVE YET ANOTHER OBSTACLE ON ROAD AT GENEVA BY SEEKING SOLVE PROBLEM OF

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PALESTINIAN REPRESENTATIVE AT GENEVA. THIS COULD BE DONE

BY VESTING THIS AUTHORITY IN ARAB LEAGUE SECRETARY GENERAL AND  
BY INCLUDING LEBANON AND JORDAN.

2. ACCORDING TO PRESS, SADAT HAS PREPARED PERSONAL MESSAGES TO  
ALL OAU MEMBERS AND TO ASIAN AND EAST EUROPEAN HEADS OF STATES.  
REPORTEDLY, MESSAGES THANK LEADERS FOR THEIR JUST STAND ON  
BEHALF ARAB RIGHTS AND EXPLAIN CURRENT ME DEVELOPMENTS AND  
NECESSITY OF RECONVENING GENEVA CONFERENCE. FAHMY APRIL 3  
DELIVERED SIMILAR MESSAGES TO AMBASSADORS OF YUGOSLAVIA, INDIA,  
FRANCE AND BRITAIN. MINISTER ALSO RECEIVED AMBASSADORS OF  
ROMANIA, UGANDA AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

3. COMMENT: ALTHOUGH UK AND FRANCE HAVE RECEIVED OFFICIAL  
GOE REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE IN GENEVA CONFERENCE, WE ARE NOT  
AWARE THAT SIMILAR SPECIFIC REQUESTS HAVE BEEN CONVEYED TO  
INDIA AND YUGOSLAVIA. YUGOSLAV EMBOFF TOLD US APRIL 3 THAT  
MESSAGE HANDED TO HIS AMBASSADOR BY FAHMY DEALT ONLY WITH GENERAL  
ROUNDUP OF RECENT EVENTS AND NECESSITY FOR RECONVENING  
GENEVA CONFERENCE. YUGOSLAV AMBASSADOR SUBSEQUENTLY CONFIRMED  
TO CHARGE THAT MESSAGE DID NOT MENTION YUGOSLAV PARTICIPATION.

4. UK EMBOFF TELLS US UK AMBASSADOR WAS FIRST APPROACHED BY  
FAHMY ON POSSIBILITY UK PARTICIPATION RIGHT AFTER FAHMY  
RETURNED FROM ASWAN. AS OF APRIL 3, HOWEVER, UK EMBASSY WAS  
UNAWARE OF OFFICIAL GOE REQUEST FOR ANY NON-ALIGNED STATES  
PARTICIPATION. IN FACT, LIKE US, THEY HAD FIRST READ OF  
POSSIBILITY IN APRIL 2 LOCAL PRESS.  
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